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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

## Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 01/23/2002 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 10/25/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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**Applicant** : Darren DeWall et al.

**Serial No.** : 09/967,249

**Atttny No.** : 60,518-010

**Filed** : September 28, 2001

**Title** : VIDEO GAMING MACHINE WITH PLAYER CHOSEN CELLS TO BE  
PLAYED

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)  
AND SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**ATTENTION : CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER  
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Sir:

In response to the **Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) Filing Date Granted**, dated March 25, 2002, applicant is submitting herewith nine (9) sheets of formal drawings which correct the deficiencies noted in the communication.

Applicant, has also attached a check in the amount of \$ 1,440.00 to provide the necessary fee for the request for a four month extension of time, which is also being submitted concurrently herewith.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**HOWARD & HOWARD ATTORNEYS, P.C.**

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**Enclosures:**

- Three (9) sheets of formal Drawings
- Part 2 of the Notice Of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)

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